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RARE, IMPORTED ORCHIDS FROM SOUTH AMERICA

YELLOW - BRONZE - COPPER - AQUINII

We are now receiving monthly shipments of rare orchids from South America. These are mature plants. Some come in sheath, all will bloom on their next growth. Many bloom more than once a year. They are reasonably priced and are of excellent quality.

- No. 5 C. Undine Aquinii. One of the world's rarest. A white with a purple lip, plus heavily splashed petal tips. In many cases the splashing on the petals give the plant the appearance of having 3 lips, as in many instances it will actually duplicate the color and veining of the lip on the petals! Only a few left at a bargain price! Only \$20 to \$30 each for mature plants.
- No. 15 C. Pittiana X C. Dowiana Aurea. Orange Yellow, large flowers of heavy substance and good shape. Others range from reddish maroon flowers, speckled, to deep chocolate color - \$12 to \$15.
- No. 58 Blc. Jane Helton X Lc. Derna. Deep copper to orange shades, others speckled and yellow shades. Large flowers with large lips - \$12 to \$15.
- No. 72 C. Chamberlainiana X Lc. Yellow Glory. Very rare. Large color variation, ranging from clear, bright copper, to deep yellow; others have speckled petals and sepals in copper shades. Medium size flowers of good form, texture and shape - \$12 to \$15.
- No. 218 C. Chamberlainiana X Lc. Edgard Van Belle. (Rare). A fine variation of yellow flowers, some of copper shades to maroon, with very good substance and shape - \$12 to \$15.
- No. 2 Blc. Truffautiana. One of the world's finest yellow brassos, ranging from orange-yellow, to chartreuse-yellow, with huge striped brasso featherlip - \$20. Very rare.
- No. 25 Blc. Sabryana. This is a very strong brasso producing light yellow flowers, with large veined purple lips. Now and then it throws back to produce magnificent pink flowers with purple lips. Either shade is outstanding in color, texture and form, \$15. (Supply limited).
- No. 157 C. Portia. This is a strong producer of dark purple flowers, produced in clusters. We have a small supply that should bloom on the new growth for only \$9! This size will sell for twice as much elsewhere! Strong, vigorous plants.

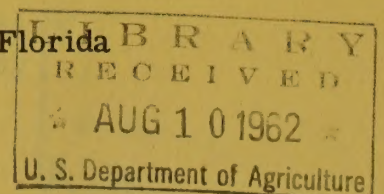
NORMAN'S BAY CROSSES

The World's Most Expensive Orchid!

Mature Norman's Bay crosses are selling from \$150 to \$500 a plant. Seedlings for as much as \$50 a plant. I therefore consider it a feather in my hat to be able to offer, very fine, strong Norman's Bay Crosses for \$13 out of 4 inch pots. I believe these can be bloomed within 18 months as they are strong plants. Sorry! Only 1 to a customer. The supply is very limited. Note: If you want more than 1 cross; pay for 1 and reserve another from my next shipment!

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Sensational Summer Sale

Big, Strong, English Cattleya Orchid Plants

ALL IN SHEATH OR IN BUD \$6. 50 each

or 6 plants for \$32 postpaid!

Because I purchase thousands of these plants each year without names or tags, I am able to supply great quantities of these plants at a fraction of named plants. Many rare orchids are often found in this group of plants. So if you like the excitement of being surprised be sure to get yourself some of these fine plants.

These English hybrids are very strong growers, superior in my opinion to the American hybrids in vigor. Down here, because of the great amount of light, I usually bloom the majority of them twice a year. Most plants have a tendency to produce 3 to 4 flowers for each sheath produced.

I also have some not in sheath at 3 for \$11.00 postpaid. These should bloom sometime this winter. All are mature plants.

WANT SOMETHING DIFFERENT IN ORCHID PLANTS? TRY "PLANTS ON PLAQUES"

Down in the Jungles, wherever orchids grow, you will also find magnificent tree ferns, some reaching a height of 75 feet. Orchids love to grow in these tree ferns, as nature provides them with just the right amount of moisture, humidity and shade.

Because the trunk of the tree fern trees are porous the roots of the orchid plant can dig in and establish itself firmly so that even hurricane winds cannot blow it from these tree ferns once established.

Taking a tip from mother nature I have cut slabs from these tree fern trunks and then attached various orchid plants to these slabs. The result has been very satisfactory. The plant attached itself very shortly and in a way we can almost duplicate the natural way in which the orchid plant grows in the jungle. Plants grown on tree fern slabs never rot. It also eliminates potting, for if the plant gets too big for the slab it can simply be nailed to a larger plaque or slab.

I am offering around 10 kinds of Orchid plants mounted on these slabs, and new varieties are constantly arriving. And they are priced most reasonably. For example:

1 plant shipped postpaid \$ 5.
3 plants shipped postpaid \$12.
6 plants shipped postpaid \$20.

All are mature plants and will bloom on new growth. All will be different. Many of these will be tagged with their correct botanical name. Some will be shipped untagged.

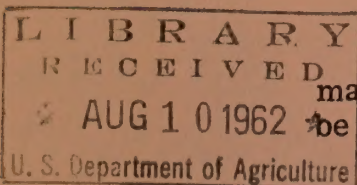
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P.S.

FREE GIFT OFFER WITH ANY PURCHASE!



While my supply lasts, I will give you with any purchase made in August, a fine Terrestrial Orchid Plant (which may be grown in soil) imported from China!

If your order is for \$25. or more I will include TWO such plants!

